

# SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEWS

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**NON LEAGUE DAY 13.10.18**

Plenty of advance notice here. It's Non-League Day on Saturday 13 October. OK so we don't know Buildbase FA Vase fixtures scheduled for that day, but perhaps clubs might like to plan ahead and look for some special deals- sponsorship or community ideas to promote the event?



First half action from Wimborne Town's 4-0 win over Christchurch in the Gerry Page Memorial Trophy match on Friday evening. See page 10 for this week's results!

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## SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE UPDATED FIXTURES AUGUST TO OCTOBER

### Friday August 3<sup>rd</sup>

#### Premier Division

Hamble Club v Lymington Town

### Saturday August 4<sup>th</sup>

#### Premier Division

AFC Portchester v Team Solent

Bashley v Andover New Street

Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Sholing

Brockenhurst v Bournemouth

Cowes Sports v Hamworthy United

Horndean v Christchurch

Portland United v Alresford Town

Shaftesbury v Baffins Milton Rovers

Tadley Calleva v Fareham Town

#### Division One

Alton v Newport IoW

Andover Town v AFC Stoneham

Downton v U.S. Portsmouth

East Cowes Vics v Fawley AFC

Petersfield Town v Laverstock & Ford

Ringwood Town v Amesbury Town

Romsey Town v Hythe & Dibden

Whitchurch United v Verwood Town

*Spare: Folland Sports*

### Monday August 6<sup>th</sup>

#### Premier Division

Team Solent v Lymington Town

### Tuesday August 7<sup>th</sup>

#### Hampshire Senior Cup Preliminary Round

AFC Stoneham v Whitchurch United

#### Premier Division

AFC Portchester v Baffins Milton Rovers

Alresford Town v Sholing

Bournemouth v Portland United

Fareham Town v Cowes Sports

Hamworthy United v Bashley

Horndean v Hamble Club

Tadley Calleva v Bemerton Heath Harlequins

### Wednesday August 8<sup>th</sup>

#### Premier Division

Andover New Street v Shaftesbury

### Friday August 10<sup>th</sup>

#### Division One

Folland Sports v Totton & Eling

### Saturday August 11<sup>th</sup>

### Emirates FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round

AFC Stoneham v AFC Portchester

Andover New Street v Romsey Town

Bashley v Bournemouth

Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Cowes Sports

Brockenhurst v Christchurch

Clevedon Town v Portland United

Fareham Town v Frimley Green

Guildford City v Petersfield Town

Hamble Club v Alresford Town

Hamworthy United v Team Solent

Horndean v Godalming Town

Knaphill v Sholing

Newport IoW v Amesbury Town

Sandhurst Town v Lymington Town

Tadley Calleva v Baffins Milton Rovers

U.S. Portsmouth v Andover Town

Wells City v Shaftesbury

#### Division One

Hythe & Dibden v East Cowes Vics

Laverstock & Ford v Ringwood Town

New Milton Town v Whitchurch United

Verwood Town v Fawley AFC

*Spare: Alton, Downton*

### Monday August 13<sup>th</sup>

#### Division One

Whitchurch United v Andover Town

### Tuesday August 14<sup>th</sup>

#### Division One

Fawley AFC v Romsey Town

Laverstock & Ford v Amesbury Town

New Milton Town v Ringwood Town

Petersfield Town v Alton

Totton & Eling v Downton

### Wednesday August 15<sup>th</sup>

#### Division One

Folland Sports v AFC Stoneham

Hythe & Dibden v Verwood Town

*Spare: East Cowes Vics, Newport IoW, U.S. Portsmouth*

### Friday August 17<sup>th</sup>

#### Premier Division

Christchurch v Sholing

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## Saturday August 18<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

Andover New Street v Lymington Town  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Cowes Sports  
Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Bashley  
Brockenhurst v Tadley Calleva  
Fareham Town v Shaftesbury  
Hamble Club v Alresford Town  
Hamworthy United v Horndean  
Portland United v AFC Portchester  
Team Solent v Bournemouth

### Division One

Alton v AFC Stoneham  
Amesbury Town v Fawley AFC  
Andover Town v Downton  
East Cowes Vics v New Milton Town  
Newport IoW v Petersfield Town  
Ringwood Town v Hythe & Dibden  
Totton & Eling v Whitchurch United  
U.S. Portsmouth v Laverstock & Ford  
Verwood Town v Folland Sports  
*Spare: Romsey Town*

## Monday August 20<sup>th</sup>

### Hampshire Senior Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Team Solent v AFC Portchester

## Tuesday August 21<sup>st</sup>

### Hampshire Senior Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

AFC Stoneham/Whitchurch Utd v Tadley Calleva  
Alton v U.S. Portsmouth  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Alresford Town  
Bashley v Bournemouth  
Brockenhurst v Sholing  
Christchurch v New Milton Town  
Cove v Petersfield Town  
Eversley & California v Andover New Street  
Fawley AFC v Hythe & Dibden  
Fleet Spurs v Newport IoW  
Horndean v Lymington Town  
Ringwood Town v Hamble Club  
Romsey Town v Andover Town  
Totton & Eling v Cowes Sports

## Wednesday August 22<sup>nd</sup>

### Hampshire Senior Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Folland Sports v Fareham Town

## Friday August 24<sup>th</sup>

### Division One

Fawley AFC v Downton

## Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup>

### Emirates FA Cup Preliminary Round

### Division One

AFC Stoneham v Amesbury Town  
Andover Town v U.S. Portsmouth  
East Cowes Vics v Totton & Eling  
Hythe & Dibden v Newport IoW  
Laverstock & Ford v Folland Sports  
Petersfield Town v New Milton Town  
Romsey Town v Ringwood Town  
Whitchurch United v Alton  
*Spare: Verwood Town*

## Monday August 27<sup>th</sup>

### Division One

Newport IoW v East Cowes Vics

## Tuesday August 28<sup>th</sup>

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Bemerton Heath Harlequins v AFC Stoneham  
Horndean v Amesbury Town  
New Milton Town v Team Solent  
Ringwood Town v Baffins Milton Rovers

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> Round

Bashley v Brockenhurst  
Petersfield Town v Christchurch  
Romsey Town v AFC Portchester  
Tadley Calleva v Sholing  
Totton & Eling v Lymington Town  
Verwood Town v Bournemouth

### Division One

Alton v Laverstock & Ford

## Wednesday August 29<sup>th</sup>

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Folland Sports v Fareham Town

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> Round

Andover New Street v Downton  
Hythe & Dibden v Shaftesbury

## Saturday September 1<sup>st</sup>

### Buildbase FA Vase 1<sup>st</sup> Qualifying Round

Bashley v AFC Portchester  
Bournemouth v Bristol Telephones  
Calne Town v Fawley AFC  
Christchurch v Folland Sports  
Corsham Town v Laverstock & Ford  
Cowes Sports v Westbury United  
East Cowes Vics v Pewsey Vale  
Eversley & California v Downton  
Fairford Town v Baffins Milton Rovers

(20 August if  
Whitchurch)

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Hallen v Fareham Town  
Hamworthy United v Amesbury Town  
Hythe & Dibden v Bemerton Heath Harlequins  
Lymington Town v Portland United  
Oldland Abbotonians v Totton & Eling  
Penn & Tylers Green v AFC Stoneham  
Ringwood Town v Alresford Town  
Romsey Town v Bridport  
Tadley Calleva v Ascot United  
Team Solent v Longwell Green Sports  
Whitchurch United v Almondsbury

## Premier Division

Brockenhurst v Sholing  
Hamble Club v Shaftesbury  
Horndean v Andover New Street

## Division One

Andover Town v Petersfield Town  
New Milton Town v Verwood Town  
U.S. Portsmouth v Alton  
*Spare Newport IoW*

## Tuesday September 4<sup>th</sup>

### Division One

AFC Stoneham v Petersfield Town  
Amesbury Town v Romsey Town  
Christchurch v Brockenhurst  
Downton v Ringwood Town  
Folland Sports v U.S. Portsmouth  
Laverstock & Ford v Andover Town  
Totton & Eling v New Milton Town

## Saturday September 8<sup>th</sup>

### Emirates FA Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Qualifying Round

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Laverstock & Ford v U.S. Portsmouth

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> Round

East Cowes Vics v Alton

### Premier Division

AFC Portchester v Andover New Street  
Alresford Town v Fareham Town  
Bashley v Baffins Milton Rovers  
Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Brockenhurst  
Bournemouth v Hamble Club  
Cowes Sports v Portland United  
Horndean v Team Solent  
Shaftesbury v Lymington Town  
Sholing v Hamworthy United  
Tadley Calleva v Christchurch

## Division One

AFC Stoneham v Hythe & Dibden  
Amesbury Town v Verwood town  
Andover Town v Newport IoW  
Downton v Whitchurch United  
Fawley AFC v Petersfield Town  
New Milton Town v Romsey Town  
Ringwood Town v Totton & Eling  
*Spare: Folland Sports*

## Tuesday September 11<sup>th</sup>

### Bournemouth Senior Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Brockenhurst v Hythe & Dibden

### Bournemouth Senior Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> Round

Bashley v New Milton Town  
Bournemouth v Hamworthy Recreation  
Lymington Town v Parley Sports  
Verwood Town v Sway

Saturday September  
15<sup>th</sup>

Buildbase FA Vase  
2<sup>nd</sup> Qualifying Round

## Tuesday September 18<sup>th</sup>

### Sydenhams (Wessex) League Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

Newport IoW v Whitchurch United

### Bournemouth Senior Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> Round

Brockenhurst/Hythe & Dibden v Poole Town Res.  
Christchurch v Westover Bournemouth  
Hamworthy United v Bournemouth Sports  
Ringwood Town v AFC Burton

### Southampton Senior Cup 1<sup>st</sup> Round

## Saturday September 22<sup>nd</sup>

### Premier Division

Alresford Town v Baffins Milton Rovers  
Bashley v Fareham Town  
Bournemouth v AFC Portchester  
Brockenhurst v Andover New Street  
Cowes Sports v Sholing  
Hamble Club v Hamworthy United  
Horndean v Bemerton Heath Harlequins  
Lymington Town v Portland United  
Shaftesbury v Christchurch  
Tadley Calleva v Team Solent

Week commencing  
September 24<sup>th</sup>

Hampshire Senior  
Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> Round

### Division One

Fawley AFC v New Milton Town  
Hythe & Dibden v Folland Sports  
Laverstock & Ford v Newport IoW  
Petersfield Town v Downton  
Romsey Town v Alton  
Totton & Eling v Andover Town  
U.S. Portsmouth v Amesbury Town  
Verwood Town v East Cowes Vics  
Whitchurch United v Ringwood Town  
*Spare: AFC Stoneham*

# SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEWS

## Saturday September 29<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

Andover New Street v Horndean  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Lymington Town  
Bournemouth v Alresford Town  
Christchurch v Bashley  
Fareham Town v Bemerton Heath Harlequins  
Hamworthy United v Tadley Calleva  
Portland United v Hamble Club  
Shaftesbury v Cowes Sports  
Sholing v AFC Portchester  
Team Solent v Brockenhurst

### Division One

Amesbury Town v Hythe & Dibden  
Andover Town v Fawley AFC  
Downton v Romsey Town  
East Cowes Vics v Whitchurch United  
Folland Sports v Petersfield Town  
New Milton Town v Laverstock & Ford  
Newport IoW v AFC Stoneham  
Ringwood Town v U.S. Portsmouth  
Totton & Eling v Verwood Town  
*Spare: Alton*

## Tuesday October 2<sup>nd</sup>

### Premier Division

AFC Portchester v Fareham Town  
Alresford Town v Tadley Calleva  
Bashley v Bournemouth  
Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Shaftesbury  
Cowes Sports v Team Solent  
Hamble Club v Brockenhurst  
Horndean v Baffins Milton Rovers  
Lymington Town v Christchurch  
Portland United v Hamworthy United  
Sholing v Andover New Street

## Saturday October 6<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

Andover New Street v Hamble Club  
Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Bournemouth  
Brockenhurst v Baffins Milton Rovers  
Cowes Sports v Christchurch  
Fareham Town v Horndean  
Hamworthy United v AFC Portchester  
Lymington Town v Alresford Town  
Portland United v Tadley Calleva  
Sholing v Shaftesbury  
Team Solent v Bashley

### Division One

AFC Stoneham v Totton & Eling

Saturday, 21 July 2018

Alton v East Cowes Vics  
Fawley AFC v Folland Sports  
Laverstock & Ford v Downton  
New Milton Town v Hythe & Dibden  
Ringwood Town v Verwood Town  
Romsey Town v Newport IoW  
U.S. Portsmouth v Petersfield Town  
Whitchurch United v Amesbury Town  
*Spare: Andover Town*

## Saturday October 13<sup>th</sup>

### Buildbase FA Vase 1<sup>st</sup> Round

### Premier Division

Alresford Town v AFC Portchester  
Andover New Street v Portland United  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Bemerton Heath Harlequins  
Bournemouth v Cowes Sports  
Christchurch v Hamble Club  
Fareham Town v Hamworthy United  
Lymington Town v Horndean  
Shaftesbury v Team Solent  
Tadley Calleva v Bashley

### Division One

Downton v Alton  
East Cowes Vics v Andover Town  
Folland Sports v New Milton Town  
Hythe & Dibden v Laverstock & Ford  
Newport IoW v Ringwood Town  
Petersfield Town v Whitchurch United  
Totton & Eling v Romsey Town  
U.S. Portsmouth v Fawley AFC  
Verwood Town v AFC Stoneham  
*Spare: Amesbury Town*

## Tuesday October 16<sup>th</sup>

### Division One

AFC Stoneham v East Cowes Vics  
Alton v Folland Sports  
Andover Town v Amesbury Town  
Fawley AFC v Newport IoW  
Romsey Town v U.S. Portsmouth  
Totton & Eling v Petersfield Town

## Wednesday October 17<sup>th</sup>

### Division One

Hythe & Dibden v Downton  
*Spare: Laverstock & Ford, New Milton Town, Ringwood Town, Verwood Town, Whitchurch United*

# SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEWS

## Saturday October 20<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

AFC Portchester v Brockenhurst  
Bashley v Shaftesbury  
Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Christchurch  
Bournemouth v Tadley Calleva  
Cowes Sports v Alresford Town  
Hamble Club v Fareham Town  
Hamworthy United v Andover New Street  
Horndean v Portland United  
Sholing v Lymington Town  
Team Solent v Baffins Milton Rovers

### Division One

Amesbury Town v Alton  
Downton v Verwood Town  
Fawley AFC v Laverstock & Ford  
Folland Sports v Andover Town  
New Milton Town v Newport IoW  
Petersfield Town v East Cowes Vics  
Ringwood Town v AFC Stoneham  
U.S. Portsmouth v Hythe & Dibden  
Whitchurch United v Romsey Town  
*Spare: Totton & Eling*

## Saturday October 27<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

Alresford Town v Bashley  
Andover New Street v Cowes Sports  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Tadley Calleva  
Brockenhurst v Horndean  
Christchurch v AFC Portchester  
Fareham Town v Team Solent

Lymington Town v Hamworthy United  
Portland United v Bemerton Heath Harlequins  
Shaftesbury v Hamble Club  
Sholing v Bournemouth

### Division One

AFC Stoneham v Downton  
Alton v Fawley AFC  
Andover Town v New Milton Town  
East Cowes Vics v Amesbury Town  
Hythe & Dibden v Petersfield Town  
Laverstock & Ford v Whitchurch United  
Newport IoW v Totton & Eling  
Romsey Town v Folland Sports  
Verwood Town v U.S. Portsmouth  
*Spare: Ringwood Town*

## Monday October 29<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

Team Solent v Sholing

## Tuesday October 30<sup>th</sup>

### Premier Division

AFC Portchester v Horndean  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Fareham Town  
Bashley v Portland United  
Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Alresford Town  
Bournemouth v Christchurch  
Cowes Sports v Hamble Club  
Hamworthy United v Shaftesbury  
Lymington Town v Brockenhurst  
Tadley Calleva v Andover New Street

## CLUB NEWS

The League has agreed to a request by Whitchurch to change their midweek evening to Monday, as a result the Division One game between the Jam Boys and Andover Town will be moved from August 15th to Monday August 13th.

In addition, the Hampshire Senior Cup tie against Tadley Calleva will be moved to Monday August 20th if they win their Preliminary Round game at AFC Stoneham.

The revised fixture list to the end of October is shown in this week's Edition.

News from **Totton & Eling** – due to unforeseen circumstances they are on the lookout for a new secretary for the first and reserve men's sides if anyone thinks they could fill this position at the club please get in touch. The email contact being [tefcsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:tefcsecretary@gmail.com)

There's a change at the head of affairs at **Christchurch**. Fiona Clements stood down as Chair at the club's AGM and has been replaced by Robin Osborne. Robin brings with him a wealth of local football experience, including a spell as Hampshire County FA Chairman- and has been involved at Hurn Bridge before.

Please all clubs should note that although John Gorman is still doing work for the League he is no longer a board member. So that he cannot help or give advice on any queries that are sent to him, regarding fixtures, registrations etc., so please contact the officer concerned. Thanks.

# SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEWS

## PRE-SEASON FIXTURES

Sunday 22-Jul 12:00 *St Peters* v *Brockenhurst*

Monday 23-Jul ??:?? *Fawley* v *Sholing Development*

Tuesday 24-Jul 18:45 *Sturminster Marshall* v *Downton*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:15 *Folland Sports* v *Winchester Castle*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:30 *Bemerton Heath Harlequins* v *Westbury United*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:30 *Hamble Club* v *AFC Totton*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:45 *Bashley* v *Winchester City [David Jose Trophy]*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:45 *Bournemouth* v *Bournemouth Electric*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:45 *Brockenhurst* v *New Milton Town [New Forest Cup]*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:45 *Calne Town* v *Shaftesbury*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:45 *Horndean* v *Gosport Borough*

Tuesday 24-Jul 19:45 *Ringwood Town* v *Lymington Town [New Forest Cup]*

Tuesday 24-Jul ??:?? *AFC Stoneham* v *Colden Common*

Tuesday 24-Jul ??:?? *Amesbury Town* v *Tadley Calleva*

Tuesday 24-Jul ??:?? *Horsham* v *AFC Portchester*

Tuesday 24-Jul ??:?? *Portland United* v *Bridport*

Tuesday 24-Jul ??:?? *Team Solent* v *Moneyfields*

Tuesday 24-Jul ??:?? *United Services Portsmouth* v *Baffins Milton Rovers*

Wednesday 25-Jul 19:30 *Hythe & Dibden* v *Blackfield & Langley*

Wednesday 25-Jul ??:?? *AFC Stoneham* v *Cowes Sports*

Thursday 26-Jul 19:00 *Gillingham Town* v *Bemerton Heath Harlequins*

Thursday 26-Jul 19:30 *Swanage Town & Herston* v *Downton*

Thursday 26-Jul 19:45 *AFC Portchester* v *Paulsgrove*

Thursday 26-Jul 19:45 *Alton* v *Portsmouth Academy*

Thursday 26-Jul 19:45 *Laverstock & Ford* v *Bush Hill*

Friday 27-Jul 19:30 *Hythe & Dibden* v *Team Solent*

Friday 27-Jul 19:45 *Dorchester Sports* v *Brockenhurst*

Friday 27-Jul 19:45 *Folland Sports* v *Athletico Romsey*

Saturday 28-Jul 13:00 NEW FOREST CUP Final

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Andover Town* v *Andover New Street*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Bashley* v *Poole Town*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Bournemouth* v *Fawley*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Chichester City* v *Christchurch [Steve Bernard Memorial Trophy]*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Cowes Sports* v *QK Southampton*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Eversley & California* v *Alton*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Horndean* v *Swindon Town*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Laverstock & Ford* v *AFC Portchester*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Newport IOW* v *Fleetlands*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Pagham* v *Hamble Club*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Petersfield Town* v *Liss Athletic*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Shaftesbury* v *Gillingham Town*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Stockbridge* v *Tadley Calleva*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Sway* v *Romsey Town*

Saturday 28-Jul 15:00 *Whitchurch United* v *Abingdon United*

Clubs are requested to please get in touch with the Newsletter Editor to promote and advertise their pre-season games- the contact address can be found in the panel on page 1. Thank you. Clubs are reminded that the home club needs to obtain sanction from their County FA.

The games listed here are all liable to change and or cancellation at little notice. Please also remember that these games are listed in good faith, outside the control of the League- games, venues and kick off times may be subject to change at little or no notice.

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Saturday 28-Jul 15:30 NEW FOREST CUP 3rd/4th Place Playoff  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? AFC Portchester v *Gosport Borough*  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? AFC Stoneham v *Thatcham Town*  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? Baffins Milton Rovers v *Wareham Rangers*  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? *Balti Sports* v Portland United  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? Fareham Town v *Moneyfields*  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? Ringwood Town v Hamworthy United  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? *Sherborne Town* v Amesbury Town  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? *Storrington* v Downton  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? Tadley Calleva v *Abingdon Town [at Everest College]*  
Saturday 28-Jul ??:?? United Services Portsmouth v Alresford Town

Monday 30-Jul 19:45 Christchurch v *Salisbury*

Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Alresford Town v *Basingstoke Town*  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Andover New Street v *Andover New Street Swifts*  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Bashley v New Milton Town  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Bemerton Heath Harlequins v Fawley  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Bournemouth v Verwood Town  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Brockenhurst v *Bush Hill*  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Laverstock & Ford v Shaftesbury  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 *Pewsey Vale* v Amesbury Town  
Tuesday 31-Jul 19:45 Ringwood Town v *Holt United*

## PRE-SEASON REPORT

*Paul Harris writes*

### SHOLING 2- THATCHAM TOWN 1

Last season's 3rd in Wessex v 1st in Hellenic (and FA Vase winners) and an excellent performance by Sholing against a team now one step higher than them. They battled well against a decent side and got better as each half unfolded. *[Photo courtesy of Ray Routledge]*

An even first 20 minutes saw some good play by both sides and some spiky tackling, but no real opportunities, just one scramble from a corner in the visitors' penalty area. After 23 mins the visitors' Cooper-Clark lined up



a shot which came back off the post, shortly after that he forced Gosney into a good save. Miller then robbed a home defender and forced Gosney into another save. But on 32 mins Sholing took a surprise lead - a long ball was headed on by Hoole and **Dan Mason** lobbed the keeper instinctively from 25 yards. Thatcham came back, and a good move saw a Fenner shot not strong enough to beat Gosney. At the other end, **Lee Wort** then forced Cairney into a good save before, on 39 minutes, beating him from 30 yards (the keeper didn't move) to make it 2-0 at half-time.

The visitors made four changes at half time and another shortly after, and again started well. The lively Elliott beat three defenders and himself in a good run before firing over the bar. On 53 minutes they reduced the deficit as **James Tennant** was able to control a cross from the right, turn and shoot into the corner. Parsons had a header saved too, but the home team also threatened on the break - Hoole ran from his own half but Cairney saved, and Wort came close again. Elliott had a header saved for the visitors, and they hit the post and had a shout for a penalty, but Sholing looked comfortable in the last 10-15 minutes, in fact Wort nearly extended the lead as he hit the post in injury time. Both teams produced Southern League football at times tonight.



# SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEWS

## PROGRAMMES

Having stepped down from the Secretary's role I still wish to play a small part in the League writes *John Gorman* and my successor has kindly allowed me to continue doing the weekly roundup – when the season starts – for the newsletter and the weekly preview for the website. I also hope to continue the League's efforts in helping Clubs with their Programmes by contributing to the occasional Articles provided and will also, standard permitting, continue to contribute to the newsletter.

Can I help further ?

If any Club or Clubs feel I can help with their Programmes – I do NOT wish to be Programme Editor – and have ideas as to what I can do, no matter how small or seemingly trivial, I will be happy to help if I can so please get in touch – I need something to do, moreso when the cricket season finishes!

The article below regarding Programme “production” hopefully will help.

My e-mail address is:- [1947.johngorman@gmail.com](mailto:1947.johngorman@gmail.com) and I look forward to hearing from you and seeing you on my travels in the coming season. Many thanks

The subject of Programmes was mentioned at the last AGM and they are compulsory as regards matches in our League and League Cup. The majority of Clubs in the League produce highly commendable Programmes – some are very good – but regrettably there are others that perhaps do not reach the standard required. So, some ideas perhaps on what makes a good Programme and how to put one together.

Initially the number of pages has to be decided upon and any adverts gained have to be inserted. This will give the Club a template with the same “gaps” to be filled in each time. The Programme is to many the “Face of the Club” therefore the Front Cover is important. It should be as striking as possible in terms of colour with the Club's name very prominent (and badge of possible) It also looks professional if the Cover can include the date of the match, the opposition, the competition and the opponents. Returning briefly to mention of adverts they are in a sense a “necessary evil” as they help defer the costs, but they should NOT dominate the Programme.

The most important content is the listing of the players and officials for the day even though in this day and age the make-up of the line-ups does involve some guesswork. To produce a huge list of players taken from Full Time does not look very professional while there is no excuse for leaving the opposition line-up blank because they have not supplied any information. That looks awful – simply use the names listed on Full Time for their last game and a little local knowledge.

The Programme should also contain the current League Table, but it is surprising how many Programmes across Leagues at this level omit same; using Full Time and editing it in Excel can produce a presentable layout. They are readily accessible and of interest to spectators. If a personal note can be injected I have a cricketing colleague who chooses not to own a computer and watches all the home games of one Club in the Sydenhams League. Prior to every home game he rings me up to enquire as to where the opposition are in the League as the local paper largely ignores local sport and the Club concerned NEVER include the table in their Programme -yet so simple to do.

Having covered the basics so to speak there will still be space to fill and that should be filled with, in simple terms, something to read. A match report from the most recent game – what happened in the same fixture last season – forthcoming fixtures – Club news (signings, departures, injuries etc.) - Cup Draws – League Round Up – the possibilities are almost endless.

These are a few basic ideas gleaned from literally hundreds of Programmes – never be afraid to “borrow” a good idea from somebody else - and in the end there are two points perhaps to remember. The Club is charging for the Programme and needs to give value for money and- as stated at the start of this piece, the Programme is the “Face of the Club”.

Don't forget you can use material from this publication in your programmes and you should also remember, we do have awards for the best in the Premier and First Divisions, which are made at the Annual Dinner Dance. Contact the Editor at the address shown on page 1 if you require the Newsletter in a different format for this purpose.

# SYDENHAMS FOOTBALL LEAGUE NEWS

## PRE-SEASON RESULTS

Monday	16-Jul	<b>Merley Cobham Sports</b> Alan Marsh [2]	2-2	<b>Bashley</b> Brad Strickland Lucas James
Monday	16-Jul	<b>Fawley</b> Peter Southwick Michael Macleod	2-1	<b>Colden Common</b> George Owen
Monday	16-Jul	<b>Sholing</b> Dan Mason Lee Wort	2-1	<b>Thatcham Town</b> James Tennant
Monday	16-Jul	<b>Warminster Town</b> George Butler [2] Jake Wright	3-0	<b>Laverstock &amp; Ford</b>
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Alton</b>	0-9	<b>Camberley Town</b> Adam Everiss [3] Luke Whiddett [2] Jamie Hoppitt [2] Steve Duff Jack Dean
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Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Amesbury Town</b> Rob Owen Nic Turpin	2-1	<b>Army Representative XI</b> Jake Allen
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Bush Hill</b> Jake Long	1-3	<b>Lymington Town</b> Jake King Mike Gosney Steve Walker
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Fleetlands</b> Kurt Watts [2] Jordan Whiteley	3-0	<b>Petersfield Town</b>
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>QK Southampton</b>	0-3	<b>Alresford Town</b> Luke Dempsey Conor Whiteley [2]
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Pagham</b> ??	2-4	<b>Fareham Town</b> Gary Austin [3] Ash Tattersall
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Portland United</b> Aston Butcher	1-3	<b>Dorchester Town</b> Ed Bastick Ash Pope Ben Morris
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Ringwood Town</b> Ben Harris	1-0	<b>Winchester City XI</b>
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Romsey Town</b> ??	6-2	<b>Cove</b> Taylor Watts [2]
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Selsey</b>	0-3	<b>AFC Portchester</b> Cameron Roach Steve Ramsey Dale Mason
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Tadley Calleva</b> Danny Vickers [2] Brett Denham Aaron Parfitt	4-2	<b>Godalming Town</b> ??
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>Wick</b>	0-9	<b>Horndean</b> Jack Maloney [3] Harry Jackson [2] Luke Heard Benny Read Connor Kelly Sean Wain
Tuesday	17-Jul	<b>United Services Portsmouth</b> Michael Dark A Triallist Dec Seiden	3-1	<b>Locks Heath</b> Jack Chambers

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Wednesday	18-Jul	<b>Brockenhurst</b> Mo Nyang James Thomson	2-0	<b>Winchester City</b>
Wednesday	18-Jul	<b>Kintbury Rangers</b> Shaun Thorp Chris Cox	2-2	<b>Andover New Street</b> Danny Urry Luke Neller
Thursday	19-Jul	<b>AFC Stoneham</b> ??	3-1	<b>Bemerton Heath Harlequins</b> Kelvin Robinson
Thursday	19-Jul	<b>Fawley</b> Mark Lilley Ben Murphy Peter Southwick [4] Zac Willis Lewis Bailey	8-0	<b>QK Southampton</b>
Thursday	19-Jul	<b>Merley Cobham Sports</b> ??	1-7	<b>Verwood Town</b> Charlie Gajic [3] Joe Kimber [2] Matt Vining OG
Thursday	19-Jul	<b>Midhurst &amp; Easebourne</b> ??	2-1	<b>Petersfield Town</b> Luke Payne
Thursday	19-Jul	<b>Newport IOW</b> Jared Wetherick Mark Taylor	2-2	<b>Northwood St John</b> ??
Thursday	19-Jul	<b>Upham</b> ??	1-6	<b>Petersfield Town</b> Callum Coker [2] Bailey Newbury Matt Malin Max Powell OG
Friday	20-Jul	<b>Folland Sports</b>	0-1	<b>Hamble Club</b> Ryan Wilkins
Friday	20-Jul	<b>Hamworthy Recreation</b> Josh Rose	1-1	<b>New Milton Town</b> Ben Cooper [pen]
Friday	20-Jul	<b>Bognor Regis Town</b>	0-3	<b>Horndean</b> Zach Glasspool Connor Duffin [2]
Friday	20-Jul	<b>Littlehampton Town</b>	0-7	<b>Lymington Town</b> Ash Jarvis [3] Jake King [2] Taz Roberts Zak Pickett
Friday	20-Jul	<b>Sholing</b> Brad Targett	1-1	<b>Winchester City</b> Oli Bailey
Friday	20-Jul	<b>Wimborne Town</b> Luke Burbidge Rhys Owen Aiden Sheppard Robinson Okumu	4-0	<b>Christchurch</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	<b>AFC Portchester</b> George Hallahan	1-1	<b>Portsmouth Under-18s</b> OG
Saturday	21-Jul	<b>AFC Stoneham</b> Joe Sutherden [2] Tom Cotillard Alex Welch Edu Jiminez	5-0	<b>Bagshot</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	<b>Alresford Town</b> Sam Burt [2] Sam Doswell	3-0	<b>United Services Portsmouth</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	<b>Alresford Town</b> Tom Richards OG	4-0	<b>Totton &amp; Eling</b>

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Saturday	21-Jul	Geoff Dunn George Farrelly <b>Alton</b>	1-7	<b>Abingdon United</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Callum Burch <b>Amesbury Town</b>	3-1	<b>Devizes Town</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Jake Allen [3] <b>Andover Town</b>	2-4	<b>Fareham Town</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Jake Watson Josh Burtie <b>Bashley</b>	3-0	<b>Holt United</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Cameron Beard [2] A Triallist <b>Bournemouth</b>	3-3	<b>Hashtag United</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Steve Flynn Harry Cooper OG <b>Clanfield</b>	1-1	<b>Downton</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Frankie Cole <b>Cove</b>	1-2	<b>Whitchurch United</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Taylor Watts <b>Cowes Sports</b>	5-1	<b>Gillingham Town</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	John McKie [3] Sam Turner Ji Nash <b>Dorchester Sports</b>	1-2	<b>Laverstock &amp; Ford</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Chae Sykes Archie Lovegrove <b>East Cowes Victoria</b>	4-0	<b>Whitcroft &amp; Barton Sports</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Elias Ahmed [2] Jimmi Burton Joe Butcher <b>Fleet Town</b>	4-1	<b>Tadley Calleva</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	?? <b>Hamworthy United</b>	2-2	<b>Weymouth</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Eder Batista River Smith <b>Newport IOW</b>	0-2	<b>Lancing</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Matt Daniel Jack Rowehurst <b>Petersfield Town</b>	10-0	<b>Bosham</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Gary Judd [2] Jordan Neal [2] Harry Tremlett Luke Payne Ryan Kennedy Carl Parker Luke Walker Josh Sheehan <b>Portland United</b>	2-1	<b>Yate Town</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Lewis Whyton Jacob Read <b>Ringwood Town</b>	0-1	<b>AFC Totton</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	Dave Allen <b>Romsey Town</b>	7-2	<b>Golden Common</b>
Saturday	21-Jul	David Warnes Dan Strange [pen] <b>St Clement</b>	0-5	<b>Brockenhurst</b>
		James Thomson [2] Matt Sheedy [2] Nathan Gray		